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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

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RE: AMENDED PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION IN THE ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATION  
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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS

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FROM: DIRECTOR, SPECIAL ENFORCEMENT

RE: AMENDED PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION IN THE ANTIDUMPING  
INVESTIGATION OF STEEL PIPE FROM CHINA (JIANGSU YULONG  
HAS CRITICAL CIRCUMSTANCES)(A-570-910-000 THROUGH -032)

1. ON 04/24/2008, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE  
FEDERAL REGISTER (73 FR 22130) ITS AFFIRMATIVE AMENDED  
PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION OF SALES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE  
("LTFV") AND AFFIRMATIVE CRITICAL CIRCUMSTANCES IN THE  
ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF CIRCULAR-WELDED CARBON  
QUALITY STEEL PIPE ("CWP") FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA  
("PRC"). THIS IS AN AMENDMENT OF MESSAGE 8059201 ON  
(02/28/2008).

2. THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION COVERS CERTAIN WELDED CARBON QUALITY STEEL PIPES AND TUBES, OF CIRCULAR CROSS-SECTION, AND WITH AN OUTSIDE DIAMETER OF 0.372 INCHES (9.45 MM) OR MORE, BUT NOT MORE THAN 16 INCHES (406.4 MM), WHETHER OR NOT STENCILED, REGARDLESS OF WALL THICKNESS, SURFACE FINISH (E.G., BLACK, GALVANIZED, OR PAINTED), END FINISH (E.G., PLAIN END, BEVELED END, GROOVED, THREADED, OR THREADED AND COUPLED), OR INDUSTRY SPECIFICATION (E.G., ASTM, PROPRIETARY, OR OTHER), GENERALLY KNOWN AS STANDARD PIPE AND STRUCTURAL PIPE (THEY MAY ALSO BE REFERRED TO AS CIRCULAR, STRUCTURAL, OR MECHANICAL TUBING). SPECIFICALLY, THE TERM "CARBON QUALITY" INCLUDES PRODUCTS IN WHICH (A) IRON PREDOMINATES, BY WEIGHT, OVER EACH OF THE OTHER CONTAINED ELEMENTS; (B) THE CARBON CONTENT IS 2 PERCENT OR LESS, BY WEIGHT; AND (C) NONE OF THE ELEMENTS LISTED BELOW EXCEEDS THE QUANTITY, BY WEIGHT, AS INDICATED:

(I) 1.80 PERCENT OF MANGANESE;

(II) 2.25 PERCENT OF SILICON;

(III) 1.00 PERCENT OF COPPER;

(IV) 0.50 PERCENT OF ALUMINUM;

(V) 1.25 PERCENT OF CHROMIUM;

(VI) 0.30 PERCENT OF COBALT;

(VII) 0.40 PERCENT OF LEAD;

(VIII) 1.25 PERCENT OF NICKEL;

(IX) 0.30 PERCENT OF TUNGSTEN;

(X) 0.15 PERCENT OF MOLYBDENUM;

(XI) 0.10 PERCENT OF NIOBIUM;

(XII) 0.41 PERCENT OF TITANIUM;

(XIII) 0.15 PERCENT OF VANADIUM; OR

(XIV) 0.15 PERCENT OF ZIRCONIUM.

STANDARD PIPE IS MADE PRIMARILY TO AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR TESTING AND MATERIALS ("ASTM") SPECIFICATIONS, BUT CAN BE MADE TO OTHER SPECIFICATIONS. STANDARD PIPE IS MADE PRIMARILY TO ASTM SPECIFICATIONS A-53, A-135, AND A-795. STRUCTURAL PIPE IS MADE PRIMARILY TO ASTM SPECIFICATIONS A-252 AND A-500. STANDARD AND

STRUCTURAL PIPE MAY ALSO BE PRODUCED TO PROPRIETARY SPECIFICATIONS RATHER THAN TO INDUSTRY SPECIFICATIONS. THIS IS OFTEN THE CASE, FOR EXAMPLE, WITH FENCE TUBING. PIPE MULTIPLE-STENCILED TO A STANDARD AND/OR STRUCTURAL SPECIFICATION AND TO ANY OTHER SPECIFICATION, SUCH AS THE AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE ("API") API-5L OR 5L X-42 SPECIFICATIONS, IS ALSO COVERED BY THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION WHEN IT MEETS THE PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION SET FORTH ABOVE AND ALSO HAS ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING CHARACTERISTICS: IS 32 FEET IN LENGTH OR LESS; IS LESS THAN 2.0 INCHES (50 MM) IN OUTSIDE DIAMETER; HAS A GALVANIZED AND/OR PAINTED SURFACE FINISH; OR HAS A THREADED AND/OR COUPLED END FINISH.

THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION DOES NOT INCLUDE: (A) PIPE SUITABLE FOR USE IN BOILERS, SUPERHEATERS, HEAT EXCHANGERS, CONDENSERS, REFINING FURNACES AND FEEDWATER HEATERS, WHETHER OR

NOT COLD DRAWN; (B) MECHANICAL TUBING, WHETHER OR NOT COLD-DRAWN; (C) FINISHED ELECTRICAL CONDUIT; (D) FINISHED SCAFFOLDING; (E) TUBE AND PIPE HOLLOWES FOR REDRAWING; (F) OIL COUNTRY TUBULAR GOODS PRODUCED TO API SPECIFICATIONS; AND (G) LINE PIPE PRODUCED TO ONLY API SPECIFICATIONS.

THE PIPE PRODUCTS THAT ARE THE SUBJECT OF THIS INVESTIGATION ARE CURRENTLY CLASSIFIABLE IN HTSUS STATISTICAL REPORTING NUMBERS 7306.30.10.00, 7306.30.50.25, 7306.30.50.32, 7306.30.50.40, 7306.30.50.55, 7306.30.50.85, 7306.30.50.90, 7306.50.10.00, 7306.50.50.50, 7306.50.50.70, 7306.19.10.10, 7306.19.10.50, 7306.19.51.10, AND 7306.19.51.50. HOWEVER, THE PRODUCT DESCRIPTION, AND NOT THE HTSUS CLASSIFICATION, IS DISPOSITIVE OF WHETHER MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO THE UNITED STATES FALLS WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE INVESTIGATION.

3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES THIS CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED INVESTIGATION NUMBER A-570-910.

4. IN THE AMENDED PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION, THE DEPARTMENT

DETERMINATED THAT JIANGSU YULONG STEEL PIPE CO., LTD. (JIANGSU YULONG) (A-570-910-032) IS NOT ENTITLED TO A SEPARATE RATE AND IS PART OF THE PRC-WIDE ENTITY. AS PART OF THE PRC-WIDE ENTITY, JIANGSU YULONG IS SUBJECT TO THE PRELIMINARY AFFIRMATIVE CRITICAL CIRCUMSTANCES DETERMINATION MADE BY THE DEPARTMENT ON 12/11/2007. SEE PARAGRAPH 5 BELOW. IN ADDITION, THE DEPARTMENT HAS REVISED THE CASH DEPOSIT RATES FOR THE PRC-WIDE ENTITY AND ALL PRC EXPORTERS/PRODUCERS ENTITLED TO A SEPARATE RATE. SEE PARAGRAPH SIX BELOW. THE DEPARTMENT DIRECTS CBP TO BEGIN SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION OF SHIPMENTS OF SUBJECT MERCHANDISE MADE BY JIANGSU YULONG AT THE PRC-WIDE ENTITY RATE (85.55%). SEE PARAGRAPH SEVEN BELOW.

5. ON 12/11/2007, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE MADE AN AFFIRMATIVE PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION THAT CRITICAL CIRCUMSTANCES EXIST IN THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF CWP FROM THE PRC FOR ALL PRC PRODUCERS/EXPORTERS. THE PRELIMINARY CRITICAL CIRCUMSTANCES DETERMINATION WAS EFFECTUATED IN THE DEPARTMENT'S PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION OF SALES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE (73 FR 2445, 01/15/2008) FOR ALL PRC PRODUCERS/EXPORTERS, EXCEPT FOR JIANGSU YULONG (A 570-910-032) (WHICH WAS EXCLUDED FROM THE PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION BECAUSE IT RECEIVED A PRELIMINARY ZERO PERCENT MARGIN). SINCE JIANGSU YULONG HAS LOST ITS SEPARATE RATE AND IS NOW PART OF THE PRC-WIDE ENTITY, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE DIRECTS CBP TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF ALL APPROPRIATE ENTRIES OF CWP FROM JIANGSU YULONG THAT ARE ENTERED, OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER 01/25/2008, WHICH IS 90 DAYS BEFORE THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THE AMENDED PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION (73 FR 22130, 04/24/2008). DUE TO THE DIFFERENT EFFECTIVE DATES OF SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION FOR YULONG AND THE PRC-WIDE ENTITY, RESULTING FROM THE DIFFERENT EFFECTIVE DATES OF THE AFFIRMATIVE CRITICAL CIRCUMSTANCES DETERMINATIONS FOR YULONG AND THE PRC-WIDE ENTITY, ENTRIES OF SUBJECT MERCHANDISE FROM YULONG SHOULD BE SUSPENDED UNDER YULONG'S SEPARATE COMPANY PROFILE (A-570-910-032) IN THE ACS.

6. FOR IMPORTS OF CWP FROM PRC, CBP SHALL CONTINUE TO SUSPEND

LIQUIDATION OF SUCH SHIPMENTS ENTERED OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER 10/17/2007, WHICH IS 90 DAYS BEFORE THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THE PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION NOTICE, EXCEPT FOR SHIPMENTS FROM JIANGSU YULONG. EFFECTIVE 04/24/2008, FOR PRC PRODUCERS/EXPORTERS OTHER THAN JIANGSU YULONG AND THE PRC-WIDE ENTITY, CBP SHALL REQUIRE A CASH DEPOSIT OR POSTING OF A BOND EQUAL TO 69.20 PERCENT:

EXPORTER/PRODUCER	CASE NUMBER
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HENGSHUI JINGHUA STEEL PIPE CO., LTD./	
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HENGSHUI JINGHUA STEEL PIPE CO., LTD.	A-570-910-008)
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HULUDAO STEEL PIPE INDUSTRIAL CO., LTD./	
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HULUDAO STEEL PIPE INDUSTRIAL CO., LTD.	A-570-910-020)
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JIANGSU GUOQIANG ZINC-PLATING INDUSTRIAL COMPANY, LTD./	
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JIANGSU GUOQIANG ZINC-PLATING INDUSTRIAL COMPANY, LTD.	(A-570-910-003)
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JIANGYIN JIANYE METAL PRODUCTS CO., LTD./	
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JIANGYIN JIANYE METAL PRODUCTS CO., LTD.	(A-570-910-025)
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KUNSHAN HONGYUAN MACHINERY MANUFACTURE CO., LTD./	
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KUNSHAN HONGYUAN MACHINERY MANUFACTURE CO., LTD.	(A-570-910-030)
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KUNSHAN LETS WIN STEEL MACHINERY CO., LTD./	
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KUNSHAN LETS WIN STEEL MACHINERY CO., LTD.	(A-570-910-014)
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QINGDAO XIANGXING STEEL PIPE CO., LTD./	
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QINGDAO XIANGXING STEEL PIPE CO., LTD.	(A-570-910-005)
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DALIAN BROLLO STEEL TUBES LTD.	
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DALIAN BROLLO STEEL TUBES LTD.	(A-570-910-016)
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WEIFANG EAST STEEL PIPE CO., LTD./	
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WEIFANG EAST STEEL PIPE CO., LTD.	(A-570-910-010)
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WUXI ERIC STEEL PIPE CO., LTD./  
WUXI ERIC STEEL PIPE CO., LTD. (A-570-910-004)

WUXI FASTUBE INDUSTRY CO., LTD./  
WUXI FASTUBE INDUSTRY CO., LTD (A-570-910-002)

ZHANGJIAGANG ZHONGYUAN PIPE-MAKING CO., LTD./  
ZHANGJIAGANG ZHONGYUAN PIPE-MAKING CO., LTD.  
(A-570-910-009)

BEIJING SAI LIN KE HARDWARE CO., LTD./  
XUZHOU GUANG HUAN STEEL TUBE PRODUCTS CO., LTD.  
(A-570-910-001)

QINGDAO YONGJIE IMPORT & EXPORT CO., LTD./  
SHANDONG XINYUANGROUP CO., LTD. (A-570-910-031)

RIZHAO XINGYE IMPORT & EXPORT CO., LTD.  
SHANDONG XINYUAN GROUP CO., LTD. (A-570-910-026)

SHANGHAI METALS & MINERALS IMPORT & EXPORT CORP./  
HULUDAO STEEL PIPE INDUSTRIAL CO., LTD.  
(A-570-910-018)

SHANGHAI METALS & MINERALS IMPORT & EXPORT CORP./  
BENXI NORTHERN PIPES CO., LTD.  
(A-570-910-019)

SHENYANG BOYU M/E CO., LTD./  
BAZHOU DONGSHENG HOT-DIPPED GALVANIZING STEEL PIPE CO., LTD.  
(A-570-910-015)

SHIJIAZHUANG ZHONGQING IMP & EXP CO., LTD./  
BAZHOU ZHUOFA STEEL PIPE CO. LTD. (A-570-910-011)

TIANJIN BAOLAI INT'L TRADE CO., LTD./

TIANJIN JINGHAI COUNTY BAOLAI BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY CO. LTD.  
(A-570-910-012)

TIANJIN NO. 1 STEEL ROLLED CO., LTD.  
TIANJIN YAYI INDUSTRIAL CO. (A-570-910-029)

TIANJIN NO. 1 STEEL ROLLED CO., LTD./  
TIANJIN HEXING STEEL CO., LTD. (A-570-910-027)

TIANJIN NO. 1 STEEL ROLLED CO., LTD./  
TIANJIN RUITONG STEEL CO., LTD. (A-570-910-028)

TIANJIN XINGYUDA IMPORT AND EXPORT CO., LTD./  
TIANJIN LIFENGYUANDA STEEL GROUP CO. LTD. (A-570-910-021)

TIANJIN XINGYUDA IMPORT AND EXPORT CO., LTD./  
TIANJIN XINGYUNDA STEEL PIPE CO., LTD. (A-570-910-022)

TIANJIN XINGYUDA IMPORT AND EXPORT CO., LTD./  
TIANJIN LITUO STEEL PRODUCTS CO., LTD. (A-570-910-023)

BENXI NORTHERN PIPES CO., LTD./  
BENXI NORTHER PIPES CO., LTD. (A-570-910-017)

TIANJIN XINGYUDA IMPORT AND EXPORT CO., LTD./  
TANGSHAN FENGSHAN DISTRICT XINLIDA STEEL PIPE CO., LTD.  
(A-570-910-024)

WAH CIT ENTERPRISES/  
GUANGDONG WALSALL STEEL PIPE INDUSTRIAL CO. LTD.  
(A-570-910-006)

GUANGDONG WALSALL STEEL PIPE INDUSTRIAL CO., LTD./  
GUANGDONG WALSALL STEEL PIPE INDUSTRIAL CO., LTD.  
(A-570-910-007)

WAI MING (TIANJIN) INT'L TRADING CO., LTD./

BAZHOU DONGSHENG HOT-DIPPED GALVANIZING STEEL PIPE CO., LTD.



7. FOR IMPORTS OF CWP FROM THE PRC FROM JIANGSU YULONG CBP SHALL SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF SUCH SHIPMENTS ENTERED OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER 01/25/2008, WHICH IS 90 DAYS BEFORE THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THE AMENDED PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION NOTICE. EFFECTIVE 01/25/2008, FOR JIANGSU YULONG, CBP SHALL REQUIRE A CASH DEPOSIT OR POSTING OF A BOND EQUAL TO THE MARGIN APPLICABLE TO THE PRC-WIDE ENTITY, 85.55%.

8. IN ACCORDANCE WITH T.D. 85-145, AT THE DISCRETION OF CBP, CUSTOMS OFFICERS MAY ACCEPT EITHER A SINGLE-ENTRY BASIC IMPORTATION AND ENTRY BOND OR A CONTINUOUS BASIC IMPORTATION AND ENTRY BOND ONLY IF THE AMOUNT OF THE ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING OR COUNTERVAILING DUTY IS LESS THAN FIVE PERCENT AD VALOREM (OR THE EQUIVALENT). OTHERWISE, WHERE THE IMPORTER HAS THE OPTION TO POST A BOND FOR ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING OR COUNTERVAILING DUTIES, CUSTOMS OFFICERS MUST REQUIRE A SINGLE-ENTRY BASIC IMPORTATION AND ENTRY BOND PURSUANT TO T.D. 85-145. YOU ARE INSTRUCTED TO ADHERE TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF T.D. 85-145 WITH RESPECT TO THESE BONDING REQUIREMENTS.

9. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CBP OFFICERS, THE IMPORTING PUBLIC OR INTERESTED PARTIES, PLEASE CONTACT DAVINA HASHMI OR RON TRENTAM AT OFFICE OF AD/CVD OPERATIONS, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202) 482-0984 OR (202) 482-3577 RESPECTIVELY (GENERATED BY O4:TEM).

10. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

DAVID M. GENOVESE

## Company Details

\*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party